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SPORT

English Fighter May Defeat Bat Nelson

Will Battling Nelson fight again?

Apparently the fighter-author desires to remain out of the ring for a time and permit his hard earned laurels to rest upon his sturdy shoulders, content with the money he is making from his numerous investments.

But Freddy Welsh, the English lightweight, who has beaten the best boys in the United States, including Packey McFarland, if the truth be told, declares the Battler must meet him in a finish argument, and has deposited \$2,000 to make a match with the champion for forty-five rounds.

Welsh made critics take notice, when, after a few fights with Packey McFarland, in which the decisions were against him, or at the best, draws, he came back and beat Abe Attell at his own game—boxing. Although he outweighed the featherweight champion, Welsh was not considered in Abe's class when it came to the scientific side of the game. He surprised everyone by beating Attell to the punch, time after time, and convinced followers of the game that he is one of the best boxers living.

Welsh is a surprise in many ways. In the first place he is a vegetarian, never eating meat in any form, even when training for a hard fight. This in itself is almost heresy from the standpoint of a pugilist, and especially when the abstainer from meat is a product of beef-eating Britain.

Apparently the dropping of meat does not act as a bar to strength, speed and stamina in Welsh. He has shown that he is faster than Attell, has a knockout punch and can go round after round without tiring. Whether he can develop a wallop and turn the trick Joe Gans failed at and which every other lightweight has found impossible—knock out Nelson—remains to be seen.

When in training Welsh follows the usual methods, punching the bag, wrestling, boxing, running on the road, playing with the medicine ball, etc. He differs from other pugilists only in his diet. He is strong for nuts, vegetables and fruits, and his sister, who oversees to the preparation of his food, is an expert at getting up tempting dishes for her bread-winning brother.

SANTA ANITA RESULTS.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 27.—A. J. Small, belonging to P. T. Chinn, captured the Woodlands stakes, the feature of an excellent card at Santa Anita this afternoon and came very close to running the four furlongs in world's record time. The race was the first of the two-year-old classics to be decided this season and only four starters faced the barrier. The quartette ran well bunched until they reached the final furlong, where the

Chinn colt forged ahead and won by three lengths.

The Angelus handicap was taken by Far West, which just managed to get in ahead of Joe Madden at the end. Summary:

First race, one mile, purse—Donald McDonald, 109 (G. Burns) 10 to 1, won; Guy Fisher, 112 (V. Powers) 9 to 1, second; Homestead, 112 (Butwell) 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:38 4/5.

Second race, six furlongs, selling—Daruma, 112 (Musgrave) 7 to 1, won; Chilla, 104 (Butwell) 7 to 1, second; Entre Mous, 117 (V. Powers) 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:13.

Third race, Angelus handicap, mile and an eighth—Far West, 109 (Butwell) 3 to 1, won; Joe Madden, 102 (McCarthy) 7 to 5, second; Montgomery, 114 (V. Powers) 7 to 5, third. Time, 1:51 1/5.

Fourth race, Woodland stakes, \$1,500 added, four furlongs—A. J. Small, 118 (V. Powers) 3 to 2, won; Mrs. Frank G. Hogan, 118 (McGee) 30 to 1, second; Sir Ashton, 118 (J. Howard) 3 to 5, third. Time, 1:46 3/5.

Fifth race, three-year-olds and up, mile, purse—Harrison, 109 (G. Burns) 2 to 5, won; Norbit, 104 (Butwell) 15 to 1, second; John Carroll, 109 (Shilling) 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:28.

Sixth race, mile and three-sixteenths, selling—Round and Round, 100 (Kennedy) 18 to 5, won; Alma Roy, 105 (McGee) 2 to 1, second; Lord Staehope, 109 (V. Powers) 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:59 3/5.

Seventh race, five and a half furlongs, purse—Rialto, 118 (McGee) 8 to 1, won; Julia Powell, 109 (Shilling) 4 to 1, second; Colloquy, 117 (J. Howard) 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:05 1/5.

EMERYVILLE RESULTS.

Oakland, Cal., Feb. 27.—Rose Queen, the speedy daughter of Kings, proved a surprise by winning the California Oaks at Emeryville today. Bubbling Water ruled an even money favorite for the event, which was at a mile and a sixteenth. A field of nine went to the post.

Rose Queen rushed to the front and won easily from Cotyto, while Bubbling Water, outrun in the first part, was a distant third. The race was worth \$3,370 to the winner.

Fine weather prevailed. Results: First race, six furlongs, selling—Gypsy King, 109 (Taplin) 9 to 10, won; Antigo, 112 (Butler) 6 to 1, second; Adena, 108 (Mentry) 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:16 1/5.

Second race, five furlongs, selling—Fireball, 106 (Taplin) 9 to 5, won; Trols Temp, 102 (Scoville) 4 to 2, second; Burning Bush, 111 (Mentry) 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:02 1/5.

Third race, mile and three quarters, Cup preliminary—Oreagna, 91 (Deverich) 21 to 5, won; Nadza, 99 (Taplin) 13 to 1, second; Milford, 91 (Ross) 13 to 10, third. Time, 3:05 4/5.

Fourth race, California Oaks, mile and a sixteenth, value to winner \$3,370—Rose Queen, 117 (Mentry) 25 to 1, won; Cotyto, 112 (Archibald) 16 to 1, second; Bubbling Water, 112 (Keogh) 4 to 5, third. Time, 1:05 2/5.

Fifth race, mile and fifty yards, selling—First Peep, 107 (Archibald) 2 to 1, won; Woolen, 107 (Sullivan) 12 to 1, second; Blanche C., 107 (Cotton) 100 to 1, third. Time, 1:46 4/5.

Sixth race, Jackson handicap, one mile—Madman, 92 (Taplin) 9 to 2, won; Doranto, 124 (Lee) 5 to 5, sec-

ond; Palo Alto, 91 (Deverich) 40 to 1, third. Time, 1:43.

San Francisco, Feb. 27.—With the arrival of the "White Sox" special in San Francisco, Monday night, the baseball season in California will be under way, although the Pacific coast league will not commence its regular schedule of games until March 30. The "White Sox" will be met at Sacramento by a delegation of local baseball players, headed by President J. Cal Ewing of the Coast league.

White Sox No. 10 will commence practice on the San Francisco grounds on Tuesday, while team No. 2 will proceed at once to Los Angeles to go into training.

The first game between the eastern team and the San Francisco nine will be played next Friday. The Chicago squads will then alternate between Los Angeles and San Francisco, playing against the Coast league teams of San Francisco, Los Angeles, Oakland and Sacramento. Altogether there will be 22 games in San Francisco and Oakland and the same number in Los Angeles.

TENTH CHAMPIONSHIP WON.

New York, Feb. 27.—The tenth indoor tennis championship was won here today on the courts of the Seventh Regiment armory by T. R. Pell, of New York, who defeated the runner-up, G. C. Shaffer of Columbia University, by 6-4; 6-3; 6-4.

Today's victory gives Pell a second leg on the national championship trophy, the tournament of 1907 having resulted in his favor.

SWIMMING MEET.

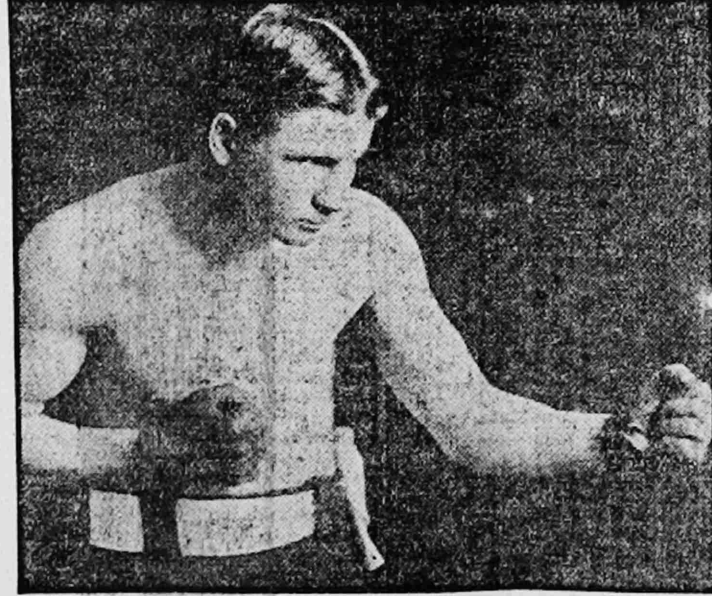
Princeton, N. J., Feb. 27.—Princeton won an evenly contested swimming meet with Harvard here tonight by the score of 30 to 32. The local team also won the water polo game, 1 to 0.

PITCHER HENDERSON PURCHASED AND SIGNED

Cleveland, Ohio, Feb. 27.—Pitcher Henderson of the Stockton, Cal., team, was purchased and signed by the Cleveland ball club today. Henderson pitched forty games for Stockton, winning 35.

The man who stands by and says nothing, when the peril of his government is discussed, cannot be misundestood. If not hindered, he is sure to help the enemy.

GEORGE MEMSIC.



It is peculiar how some fighters, even if only third raters, manage to get bouts. George Memsic is a good illustration. He has been whipped repeatedly and harrasing his bout with Gans, never made any remarkable showing unless it was against Charles Neary. Yet George gets matches and gets the money. His latest is a bout with Frank Picator, which is

JEFFRIES ON HIS WAY EAST

STANDARD REPORTER TALKS TO HIM IN HIS CAR.

Big Fellow Refuses to State Whether He Will Fight Jack Johnson for the Championship.

James J. Jeffries, retired champion heavyweight of the world, rolled into union station yesterday aboard the 1 o'clock Los Angeles Limited en route to New York. He was accompanied by Mrs. Jeffries and big Sam Berger, the latter acting as sparring partner, private secretary, publicity agent and reception committee extraordinary to the big "champ."

Jeffries was closely guarded in his state room, but his vigilant wife let down the bars long enough to allow a representative of the Standard to view for a moment the features of her royal spouse.

"Anything doing Jeff?" responded the prospective opponent of "Big" Awful, the black who is now deifying white pugilism. "Sam's out there somewhere and he'll spin a yarn or two for you. I'm going east to take on this vaudeville engagement which will last twenty weeks. Beyond that, I positively have nothing to say. Glad to see you, 'Thank you,' and King Jeff turned on his couch to inspect the repast that had just arrived from the dining car ahead.

Outside, the jovial Sam echoed the statement of his employer, saying that he, also, was unprepared to make any statement regarding the possibility of a fight between Jeffries and Jack Johnson.

"Jeff has just closed a six weeks' vaudeville engagement on the coast," said Berger, "and he has now accepted of a \$2,500 per week engagement with the Morris circuit in the east. Jeff works about three-quarters of an hour after each evening's performance,

which is putting him in pretty good condition. He took off 25 pounds in less than six weeks, most of it coming from the vicinity of his equator.

The idea that Jeff is all out of condition is a wrong one. Of course, while he managed the big saloon in Los Angeles and people saw him day after day about the place, perhaps taking a drink now and then, and all the while growing in weight, the common impression prevailed that he was going back. They did not know nor take into consideration that every few weeks, Jeff struck off into the hills or mountains on a hunt of a week or ten days, where he walked and climbed in the fresh, mountain air and incidentally kept down his weight to a considerable extent. Jeff used to hit the cigarettes pretty strong, but he has cut that entirely out, and I don't believe he has smoked one in six weeks.

"This engagement on the Morris vaudeville circuit means \$50,000 to Jeffries, and until that is closed and he has had time to determine his condition and whether or not it would be practical for him to take on Johnson, you may depend upon it that he will have no fight with the champion. Our act has not been determined upon, as yet, but I expect it will be in the nature of a 'dress suit sketch,' and then strip for a couple of rounds of sparring. We will open in New York shortly after our arrival there. Just tell the people to wait and see if I find out for myself whether he wants to fight Johnson or not and he will give it to them straight as he always has one."

Jeffries looked in perfect condition as far as his features were concerned—his eyes bright, color good, and much of the fat gone from off his heavy jaws and neck. It was apparent that he had been doing considerable training. After taking off 25 pounds as above stated, Jeffries still tips the beam at 254, but as he has fought in condition at 225, the present weight is not a serious handicap for him to face.

BALL PLAYERS ON A SPEEDING SPECIAL TRAIN

The White Sox baseball team left Omaha yesterday for Ogden on a special train running as the second section of the Overland Limited and will reach this city at 4:50, Sunday afternoon. The train consists of a baggage car, diner, four Standard sleepers and an observation car, and the baseball artists will be whisked from Ogden to the coast over the Southern Pacific on record time and without stops except at division points to exchange engines.

After doing California with a series of games for a month, the ball artists will return slowly and entertain the public with a series of games at Salt Lake, Ogden, Denver and other important cities between the coast and Chicago.

DANIELS DEFEATED.

New York, Feb. 27.—M. Daniels, the swimming star of Ogden on several world's records, was beaten in the hundred-yard handicap event tonight at the Sportsman's Show in Madison Square Garden. He made the distance in 59 3/5 seconds, while C. A. who was given a ten second handicap, got over the 100 yards in 1 minute 4 3/5 seconds.

PRESIDENT-ELECT TO HAVE HONORS HEAPED UPON HIM

Washington, Feb. 27.—President-Elect Taft, who recently was made a Mason "at sight," will probably have now honors heaped upon him upon his arrival in this city from New York. The National Farmers' union is preparing to elect him a member of that organization "on sight." The organization, which is to make the president a "honorary farmer" has prepared a "memorial" to be presented to Mr. Taft, asking him to use his influence in bringing about legislation to do away with "trading in futures on crops."

Mr. Taft will not leave the national capital again until after he has assumed the reins of the government. Mr.

and Mrs. Taft will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Boardman in their home in fashionable Dupont Circle until March 4.

Mr. Taft will see today a city almost ready with waving banners and streamers of red, white and blue for his inauguration as president.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION TO PROMOTE KINDERGARTENS

New York Feb. 27.—With a view to organizing a national association for the promotion of kindergarten education, a number of well known women assembled quietly in New York yesterday and discussed preliminary plans for the work. While the scope of the movement will be national, it is said that nowhere in the country is there such need for kindergarten facilities as within a radius of 100 miles of New York.

The inauguration of movement came about in a rather peculiar way. The parents of a child in Reading, Pa., could not find a kindergarten and moving to New Jersey feared little better. This condition of affairs was

brought to the attention of one of the women in the present movement, with the result that a meeting was called. Among those who attended the conference were Mrs. Richard Watson Gilder and Mrs. Kate Douglass Wiggin Riggs, the author.

CONGREGATION TO ATTEND WEDDING OF THE PASTOR

New York Feb. 27.—One of the most unique weddings of the season will be celebrated at the Northminster Presbyterian church at 115th street and St. Nicholas avenue, when Miss Mary Campbell-Thompson, head worker in the church, becomes the bride of the Rev. William Payne Shriver, pastor. Every one of the 400 members of the congregation has promised to attend the wedding. Mr. Shriver comes from Baltimore and is a graduate of Johns Hopkins university. He is a cousin of Alfred J. Shriver, a well known lawyer there, and is related to John S. Shriver, Washington correspondent of the Baltimore American and the New York Evening Mail. The wedding will take place on March 9.

S.S.S. CURES BLOOD POISON

Removing the symptoms is not all that is necessary to cure Contagious Blood Poison. The virulent germs which produce these outward manifestations must be completely driven from the blood before a real cure can be effected. The least taint left in the circulation will, sooner or later, cause a fresh outbreak of the trouble, with all the hideous symptoms of ulcerated mouth and throat, copper colored spots, falling hair, sores and ulcers, etc.

Contagious Blood Poison is the most treacherous of all diseases.

It has its victims in its power almost before they realize its presence, because its first symptom is usually a little sore or pimple so insignificant that it does not excite suspicion. But the insidious poison is at work on the blood and in a short while the patient finds he is more or less affected from head to foot.

Contagious Blood Poison is too dangerous to trifle with. No time should be lost in riding the blood of this destructive poison, and in no disease is it more important to have the proper remedy.

Medicines which merely check the symptoms for a time and leave the real cause smoldering in the system have brought misery and disappointment to thousands. Faithfully the sufferers took such treatment, usually of mineral nature, and when all symptoms had disappeared and the treatment was left off, found the virus had only been shut up in the system awaiting a favorable opportunity to return, with every symptom intensified.

S. S. S. cures Contagious Blood Poison and cures it permanently. It goes down into the blood and removes every particle of the poison, makes the circulation pure and healthy, and does not leave the slightest trace of the disease for future outbreaks. S. S. S. is made entirely of roots, herbs and barks, all of which are healing and cleansing in their nature. It does not contain a particle of mineral in any form to injure the delicate parts of the system.

S. S. S. will also drive out any lingering remains of mineral poison that may be in the blood from the former treatment. If you are suffering with Contagious Blood Poison S. S. S. will cure you, because it will purify your blood. Home treatment book and any medical advice free to all who write.

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CURED SOUND AND WELL.
Dear Sirs—I feel that I had contracted Contagious Blood Poison until it had made considerable headway, and fortunately for me the friend that I first consulted had the suffering I endured. Before I became convinced that the doctors could do me no good, I had spent a hundred dollars, which was really thrown away. I then tried various patent medicines, but they did not reach the disease. When I had finished my first bottle of S. S. S., I was greatly improved, and was delighted with the result. The large red spots on my chest began to grow paler and smaller, and before long disappeared entirely. I regained my lost weight, became stronger and my appetite greatly improved. I was soon entirely well, and my skin as clear as a piece of glass.
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COVERED WITH SORES.
I was afflicted with a terrible blood disease, which was in spots at first, but afterwards spread all over my body. These soon broke out into sores and it was very painful. I had been told that S. S. S. was a cure, and I bought a bottle. I was greatly improved, and was delighted with the result. The large red spots on my chest began to grow paler and smaller, and before long disappeared entirely. I regained my lost weight, became stronger and my appetite greatly improved. I was soon entirely well, and my skin as clear as a piece of glass.
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THE USUAL SYMPTOMS.
Having used S. S. S. quite extensively, I am in position to know its virtues. As the result of a serious blood disorder my blood became poisoned and I suffered severely with liberumum and other symptoms not necessary to mention. A friend told me he had been cured of my trouble by S. S. S. and upon his recommendation I began its use. After using it for some time my blood was thoroughly cleansed of all poisons and made pure and strong again.
I wish also to speak of its tonic properties. It built up my general health, it improved my appetite, gave me increased strength, and I felt better in every way. I am a great believer in S. S. S. and with pleasure recommend it to all who need a good blood medicine.
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